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FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. MADURA, 1,942 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 15th June, 1881, at 3 p. m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Cancul, Cochin, Alleppy, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Pondicherry, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any other, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S. S. AKABIA 1080 Tons, on MONDAY, 13th June, 1881, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein Bushire, Fao, and Bussreh, in the foregoing or any other, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE DIRECT.

S. S. BURMAH, 1,080 Tons, on FRIDAY, 10th June, 1881, at 10 a. m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. ABYSSINIA, 1,129 Tons, on MONDAY, 27th June, 1881.

FOR QUEENSLAND.

S. S. DORUNDA, 3,000 Tons. The Coast Steamer leaving Bombay on Wednesday, 22nd June, will connect at Colombo with the Queensland Royal Mail Steamer Dorunda from England, and passengers and cargo can be booked for the following ports:—

Batavia, Thursday Island, Cooktown, Townsville, Bowen, Rockhampton, and Brisbane.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,

Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 3th June, 1881. Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION with ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

The Regular Steamers Leave

GENOA on the 24th and BOMBAY on the 1st *of each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.

[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Aden	Rs. 220	Rs. 150	Rs. 40
Suez	„ 360	„ 220	„ 80
Port Said	„ 380	„ 240	„ 90
Messina	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Naples	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Leghorn	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Genoa	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Marseilles	„ 530	„ 340	„ 145

Including Wines. For Wheat food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE OF CHARGES to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

Next steamers from Bombay:—

SINGAPORE, to sail on FRIDAY, 1st July, 1881.

MANILLA, to sail on MONDAY, 1st August, 1881.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation, and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess.

The Steamers of this Company start precisely at 12 noon. Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board free of charges by the Company's steam launch leaving Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a. m.

First and Second Class Through Railway Tickets, from GENOA and NAPLES to LONDON, are issued here at rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can be booked at through-rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle.

Bombay, Feb. 11, 1881.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYDS' STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

REGULIAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY AND TRIESTE VIA CANAL.

THE following Steamers will be despatched from Bombay to Trieste:—

Vessels.	Captains.	To sail.
Tebe	D. Torchich	16th June.
Calipso	B. Gelcich	15th „
Mars		25th „
Pollnce	G. Ragusin	28th July.

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 400	Rs. 280	Rs. 140 0
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	375	295	143 0
To Port Said	320	255	131 0
To Suez	300	240	122 0
To Aden	170	130	66 8

STEAM TO HONGKONG VIA COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s S. S. HUNGARIA, 1,982 tons, 400 horse power, will be despatched as above on the 2nd July, 1881.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI, Agent.

Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, June 27th, 1881.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS FORTNIGHTLY BETWEEN BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL (VIA MALTA).

THE following sailings have been arranged:—

S. S.	Captain	Tons.	H. P.	1881.
Wiston Hall	T. Collin	2,700	400	18th June
Rydal Hall	O. Lloyd	2,700	400	2nd July
Speke Hall	Brand	2,700	400	16th „
Brankesome Hall	M. Collin	2,100	300	30th „
City of Baltimore	J. Vernil	2,300	300	13th Aug.
Trentham Hall	Shaw	2,100	300	27th „

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

For plans, hand-books of information, and any further particulars apply to

EDWARD BATES & Co.,
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., } Agents,

Bombay, 9th January, 1880.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to SOUTHAMPTON, BRINDISI, VENICE MARSEILLES, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, AND GIBRALTAR.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above:—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1881.
— TEHERAN	2269	400	A. C. Loggin	14th June
s. NIZAM	2725	450	G. W. Brady	21st „
— SUMATRA	2488	450	R. F. Briscoe	28th „
s. SIAM	3026	500	A. H. Johnson	5th July
— KASHGAR	2627	450	W. A. Seaton	12th „
s. INDUS	3462	600	S. D. Shallard	19th „
— GWALIOR	2733	450	A. W. Adamson	26th „
s. DECCAN	3429	550	W. B. Andrews	2nd Aug
— THIBET	2503	400	W. R. Jordan	9th „
s. PESHAWUR	3300	600	E. J. Baker	16th „
— TEHERAN	2389	400	A. C. Loggin	23rd „
s. ZAMBESI	2431	370	A. Symons	30th „

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under, THREE MONTHS from date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi, both ways.	Via Brindisi, one way.	Via Southampton, both ways.
First Class	Rs. 950	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class	Rs. 500	Rs. 550	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS.			
First Class	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1881.
VERONA	3116	600	E. Ashdown	17th June.
PEKIN	3300	600	W. D. Anderson	1st July.
BRINDISI	3342	550	G. Lee	15th „
ANCONA	3094	600	E. G. Stead	29th „

Return Tickets are now issued	1st Class.	2nd Class.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	Rs. 600	Rs. 375
To Galle and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Penang or Singapore and back do.	450	225

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Galle.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p. m., on the day of sailing.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, 1st June, 1881.

GRINDLAY, GROOM, AND Co., BOMBAY, GRINDLAY AND Co., CALCUTTA,

BOOK PASSAGES by P. & O. and all other Steamers without charge for Commission.

S. S. WISTOW HALL has arrived from Liverpool, and is discharging in the Prince's Dock.

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

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OZO, OZO, OZO,

The delightful sparkling health-sustaining beverage, a dissipator of mental and nervous affections, and a renewer of physical power.

Per dozen bottles, cash Rs. 3.

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Will last for years.

Shirt Studs	per set	Rs. 2-8
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IMPORTED OVERLAND AT

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PREPARED expressly for TREACHER & Co., Limited, from finest, selected and thoroughly matured Tobacco, and acknowledged to be the cheapest and best Smokes procurable.

	Cash prices.
NOBLE'S Cheroot shape, without straw, per box of 100	Rs. 1 12
DAWSON'S Cheroot shape, with straw do.	1 12
THOMSON'S Cheroot shape, with straw do.	1 12
DINDIGUL'S Cheroot shape, with straw do.	2 0
HAVANNAH'S Cigar shape do.	2 0
TREACHER'S GEMS, Cigar shape, per box of 50	1 0
TREACHER'S MUSTER, barrel shape do.	1 2

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER AND COMPANY'S OWN CRICKET-BALLS

are manufactured by a practical Kent Cricket-Ball Maker, who enjoys the distinguished patronage of the leading Professional Player in England, and being bought first-hand are offered at a reduction from the usual rates The FOUR-SEAMED Registered Match Balls are the best ever yet introduced.

	Cash.
Double-seamed Balls ..... Rs.	3 8
Treble-seamed Balls ..... „	4 0
Four-seamed Balls, "Registered" ..... „	4 8

TREACHER and COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS.

NOTICE.—The Dispensing Departments of TREACHER & COMPANY, Limited, are under the supervision of thoroughly qualified and experienced ENGLISH CHEMISTS, whose particular attention is devoted to the preparation and dispensing of Medicines, and to their punctual and expeditious despatch.

The PURITY and QUALITY of the DRUGS and CHEMICALS employed are determined by Chemical Analysis, and every facility provided for preparing medicines in strict accordance with PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS.

An exact copy of every Prescription dispensed is taken and registered, whereby a reference to the same at any future period can always be readily made.

Orders from Out-stations are executed and despatched on the day they are received.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

BOMBAY—Rampart Row, the Fort: Three doors from the Bombay Club, and in the immediate vicinity of the Esplanade, Taylor's, Victoria, Waverley, and other Hotels.

BYCULLA—Junction of Clare and Bellasis Roads, near the Byculla Club, and Byculla and Adelphi Hotels.

POONA—Arsenal Road.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
CHEMISTS, &c., BY APPOINTMENT TO
THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to, or having claims against the estate of the late JAMASJEE COWASJEE PADSHA, of Bombay, are requested to communicate with the undersigned within one month from this date, after which time no further claims will be attended to.

SOONABAI, widow and executrix of the late Jamasjee Cowasjee Padsha, 186, Main Road, Khetwady.

Bombay, 18th May, 1881.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE.

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT!!
THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 9, 1881,
AN ENTIRE NEW PROGRAMME
BY
THE VICTORIA LOFTUS TROUPE.
A NEW MINSTREL SCENE,
RAISON MANIA.
THE COMING MAN.
NEW SONGS, DANCES AND SAYINGS.
All concluding with the rich Irish Farce,
IRISH JUSTICE,
By the entire company.

PRICES AS USUAL.
Box Office at SOUNDY & Co.
DAVIES & FROST, Directors.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per s. s. CLAN MACLEOD, arrived from Glasgow and Liverpool, are hereby requested to SEND their BILLS of LADING for our countersignature and to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective goods from the Prince's Dock without delay.

FINLAY, MUIR & Co., Agents.

Bombay, 8th June 1881.

COMMISSARIAT.
SUPPLY OF PUNKHA-PULLERS.

TENDER will be received by the Executive Commissariat Officer at Bombay on FRIDAY, the 10th June, 1881, at 1 p.m.

Forms of Tenders and Schedules, with further particulars, can be had on application at the above office.

C. F. HUGHES, Major.
Executive Commissariat Officer, Presidency.
Executive Commissariat Office, Bombay, 7th June 1881.

TO LET, with immediate possession, a desirable BUNGALOW on the Ridge, Malabar Hill, nearly opposite to Sir Frank Souter, Kt., C. S. I., lately vacated by W. R. Pratt, Esq., C. S. Rent only Rs. 150. For further particulars apply to

P. BYRAMJEE,
28, Meadow Street, Fort. House Agent.

TO LET, a small desirable BUNGALOW in Lower Colaba. Rent Rs. 25 only. For further particulars apply to

P. BYRAMJEE,
28, Meadow Street, Fort. House Agent.

TO BE LET, top-floor of a BUNGALOW on Clare Road, Byculla, rent Rs. 60. Other four Bungalows in Byculla, rent Rs. 150, 125, 90 and 70. One Bungalow at Chowpatty, rent Rs. 150. Two Bungalows at Cumballa, rent Rs. 200 and 165. Residences in the Fort, rent moderate. Apply to

B. SAKARAMJEE & Co.,
House and Estate Agents.

33, Meadow Street.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the MUNICIPAL CORPORATION of BOMBAY will be held in the Municipal Offices at 3 o'clock p. m., on SATURDAY, the 11th instant, for the consideration of the business left undisposed of at the meeting held this day.

By order of the Chairman,
H. WYNFORD BARROW,
Clerk, Municipal Corporation, & Secretary, Town Council.
Municipal Offices, Bombay, 8th June, 1881.

THE ADJOURNED QUARTERLY MEETING of the MUNICIPAL CORPORATION of BOMBAY for the further consideration of the proposed amendments in the Municipal Acts (Sections 70 to 81, 128 and 131, and 156, 163 to 166) will be held here at 3-30 o'clock P. M. on SATURDAY, 11th June, 1881.

By order of the Chairman,
H. WYNFORD BARROW,
Clerk, Municipal Corporation; & Secretary, Town Council.
Bombay, Municipal Office, 8th June, 1881.

TO BE DISPOSED OF VERY CHEAP.

ONE OIL PRESSING MILL with the necessary preparing Machinery.
One ICE MAKING MACHINE, with Engine and Boiler attached.
A COTTON GINNING FACTORY, in full working order.
Four CORN GRINDING MILLS, with the necessary preparing Machinery.
A PAPER MILL, complete.
One VERTICALSAW FRAME.

Apply T. DREWER,
Consulting Engineer and General Agent.
No. 5, Apollo Street, Fort.

THE MAZAGON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Limited.

AT the EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the shareholders of the Mazagon Manufacturing Company, Limited, held on the 31st May 1881, the following Resolutions, passed on the 4th May 1881, were confirmed:—

1. That the Mazagon Manufacturing Company, Limited be wound up voluntarily under Act X of 1866.
2. That the Liquidator or Liquidators to be hereafter appointed be and he is or they are authorized to have and exercise all the powers given by sections 173 and 174 of Act X of 1866.

At the above meeting Messrs. John Gordon and Damoderdas Tapidas were appointed Liquidators.

CURSETJEE NUSSERWANJEE CAMA,
Bombay, 1st June, 1881. Chairman.

THE MAZAGON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED, IN VOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that all CREDITORS of, and CLAIMANTS against, the above Company are hereby requested to SEND in particulars of their DEBTS and CLAIMS in writing on or before the 15th day of July, 1881, to the Liquidators of the abovenamed Company at its registered office, Nos. 17 and 18, Rampart Row, within the Fort of Bombay. After the expiration of such period the assets of the Company will be DISTRIBUTED amongst the persons entitled thereto having regard only to the debts or claims of which the Liquidators shall then have notice.

All persons indebted to the Company, or having property of the Company in their hands, are hereby required to forthwith pay their debts or hand over such property to the Liquitors of the said Company.—Dated this 7th day of June, 1881.

JOHN GORDON,
DAMODERDAS TAPIDAS, } Liquidators.

LAIRD'S WELSH HARTLEY STEAM COAL.

THIS old and well-known brand is eminently adapted for use and storing in a hot climate, being large, hard, and not so readily affected as other kinds of coal by exposure to weather. It is supplied of the same good quality as heretofore by

J. P. HIGGINSON & Co.,
25, Castle Street, Liverpool, England.

NOTICE is hereby given that Mr. BURJORJEE CURSETJEE DORIAWALLA has CONTRACTED TO SELL to ABDOOLRAHIMON HAJEE MAHOMED, ABDOOL CURRIM HAJEE MAHOMED and ABDOOL KADUR HAJEE MAHOMED all that piece of land with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling house, and outhouses standing thereon, assessed formerly under No. 56, and now under No. 57, situate at Bellasis Junction Road, without the Fort of Bombay, and bounded on the east by a passage, on the west by the public road, on the north by the house of Antoba Hurryba Komskea, and on the south by the house of Dayaram Bhookundas, and which piece of land contains about 51 feet in length and about 18 feet and 6 inches in breadth. All persons having any claims to the said premises by way of inheritance, mortgage or otherwise are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned within 14 days from this day, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claims, if there be any.—Dated this 8th day of June 1881.

HORE, CONROY, & BROWN,
Purchasers' Solicitors.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.
NOTICE.
ADDITIONAL MIXED TRAIN BETWEEN BOMBAY AND POONA.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after FRIDAY next, the tenth of June, instant, until further notice, the Down Mixed Train leaving Bombay at 12-30 noon for Kalyan will be run on to Poona calling at all intermediate Stations, and the Up Mixed Train from Kalyan due in Bombay at 6-30 p. m. will start from Poona at 7-30 a. m. calling at all intermediate Stations.

These trains will run every day.

2. First, second, third and fourth class passengers will be conveyed by these trains.

3. Horses and carriages booked between Bombay and Poona to be conveyed by these trains only. For further information as to the conveyances of horses, &c., see the public notice of this date exhibited at Stations.

4. The Special Mixed Train now being run between Bombay and Poona under the notice dated the fourth of May last will be discontinued after THURSDAY, the ninth instant.

HENRY CONDER, General Traffic Manager.
Bombay, the 8th of June, 1881.

EXCHANGE WITH ENGLAND.

	s. d.
RATE for Payments at once	1 7⅛ per Rupee.
Ditto for CIRCULAR NOTES, for the use of Travellers and others in any part of the World	1 7⅛ „
Ditto Demand Drafts, payable in England, Scotland, or Ireland, free of charge	1 7⅞ „
Ditto 3 months' do.	1 7 15-16 „
Ditto 6 do. do.	1 8⅛ „
Sovereigns ..... Rs. 15-4 each.	

These rates fluctuate, but the highest rate of the day upon which any transaction takes place, will be given.

Drafts sent direct to the Home address, if desired. No commission or agency charged. Government Currency Notes of ANY circle received at their full value—par.

SIMILAR NOTES are also issued *at par* for the use of Travellers in India and for the purpose of making remittances to any part of India.

WM. WATSON & CO.

Anglo-Indian and General Agency, Bombay, 28, Apollo Street; 9, Ezra Street, Calcutta; 1st June, 1881.

N.B.—These notes, drafts, &c. are issued to the public within 5 minutes of their being applied for.

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to, or having claims against, the estate of the late Major K. G. MAYNE, Assistant Agent to the Governor-General at Amreli, are requested to communicate with the undersigned within one month of this date, after which no claims will be entertained.

G. F. HOGG, Col., 12th Regt. N.I.,
President of Committee of Adjustment.

Rajkote, Kattywar, June 4th, 1881.

SOUTH-WEST MONSOON, 1881.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,

Beg to announce that they have just opened out their

ANNUAL SHIPMENT OF

SUPERIOR WATERPROOF CLOTHING

OF THE VERY BEST LONDON MANUFACTURE,

Specially made for the Indian Market, and of the same superior quality that ha characterised their previous importations.

DRAB VULCANISED WATERPROOF COATS,
Light, Durable, and Reversible.

Length	46	48	50	52	54	56 inches.
Rupees	12-8	13-0	13-8	14-0	15-0	16-0 each.

INVERNESS CAPES, of same material.

Length	48	50	52	54	56 inches.
Rupees	18-0	18-8	19-0	20-0	21-0 each.

LEGGINGS to match the above, per pair ..... Rs. 4-8
COSMOPOLITAN CAPS each ..... „ 4-0

FINE DRAB TWILL CAMBRIC COATS,
With the waterproofing between two textures.

Length	48	50	52	54	56 inches.
Rupees	25-8	26-8	27-8	28-8	30-0 each.

LEGGINGS to match, per pair ..... Rs. 7-8
COSMOPOLITAN Caps each ..... „ 5-0

BLUE CASHMERE REGULATION CAVALRY CAPES,
with the waterproofing between two textures.

Length	48	50	52	54	56 inches.
Rupees	36-0	37-8	39-0	40-8	42-0 each.

STOUT WATERPROOF GROUND SHEETS, fitted with brass eyelets.

Size 6 feet long by 3 feet broad,	each Rs.	10-0		
„ 7 „	„ 4½	„ „	16-0	
„ 8 „	„ 5	„ „	22-8	

DRAB TWILL SHEETING with the waterproofing between two textures, very durable, 60 inches wide ..... per pair Rs. 6 12
Ditto in Sheets, about 7½ by 5 feet ..... each „ 22 8

SUBJECT TO 10 PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH.

TREACHER & COMPANY, LIMITED,

BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

MONSOON CLOTHING.

WATERPROOF COATS, CAPES, CAPS, AND LEGGINGS.

Light White Vulcanized Waterproof Coats	Credit Rs. 8 8 Cash Rs. 7 12
Stout White Macintosh Coats, with the preparation between two Cotton Fabrics to prevent it from sticking during the Hot Weather	Credit Rs. 20 0 Cash Rs. 18 0
Stout White Macintosh Inverness Capes, made from the same material as the Coats abovementioned	Credit Rs. 27 8 Cash Rs. 24 12
White Vulcanized Waterproof Caps, ventilated	Credit Rs. 3 8 Cash Rs. 3 4
Light White Vulcanized Waterproof Leggings ...per pair	Credit Rs. 4 8 Cash Rs. 4 2
Stout White Vulcanized Waterproof Leggings ...per pair	Credit Rs. 5 8 Cash Rs. 5 0
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Galvanized plain and corrugated sheets and roof fittings—Pig Iron—Garthsherrie, B. S. Newport and Lackenby.
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About 620 tons Davison's West Hartley Coals.
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THE Public are informed that from about the 15th instant the LINE from DHOLA to WUDHWAN JUNCTION will be CLOSED for Traffic during the Monsoons.

Further Notice of exact date of closing the above length of Line will be advertized.

The Railway from Bhavnagar to Dhoraji will remain open and be available for both Coaching and Goods Traffic as hitherto.

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ROPES,

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 8.

ALTHOUGH the Liverpool Cotton Market was closed yesterday, and apparently also the London Produce Markets, we have quotations for Consols and Rupee Paper. The former are down to 100½, a decline of ⅜ since Friday last, which doubtless arises from the unsatisfactory state of affairs in Ireland. Four per cent. Rupee Paper is quoted ½ higher at 85½, Fours-and-a-half ¼ lower at 91⅜. Business in Manchester, from what we hear through private channels, was practically suspended, but Reuter quotes an advance of 1½d. per piece in 11 lb. Shirtings.

The New York telegram still quotes ready Mid.-Uplands at 11 1-16 cents per lb., but September shipment comes again 6 points higher at 10·78 cents per lb. The receipts at the U. S. ports to date give the following comparisons :—

	1881.	1880.	1879.
Tuesdays' Receipts	6,000	2,700	1,000
Four days' Receipts	17,000	10,100	3,000
Total since 1st September.....	5,537,400	4,784,100	4,398,100

At the weekly meeting of the directors of the Bank of Bombay this afternoon rates of discount and interest were reduced one per cent. all round.

The movement having been very generally anticipated, the general market will not be materially affected, and there can be little doubt that before long we must see a further reduction.

EXCHANGE to-day has been quiet but steady without alteration, except for francs, which are ¼ centimè higher owing to the rise in Paris exchange on London. As usual on Council draft day, there has been very little business doing, although there seems no great difference of opinion as to the rate likely to be obtained, most people anticipating about 1s. 7 11-16d. We quote at the close :—

Bank Bills on demand	1s. 7 21-32d.	per rupee.
Do. telegraphic	1s. 7¾d.	,,
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 7¼d.	,,
Credits, 3 ,, ,, ...	1s. 7¼d.	,,
Documents, 3 ,, ,, ...	1s. 7 29-32d.	,,
Francs, 3 ,, ,, ...	3·01f.	,,

On Calcutta we still quote demand at par to 1-16 per cent. premium ; 60 days' sight at 7-16 per cent. discount.

GOVERNMENT PAPER to-day has been stronger than ever, and rates have advanced to Rs. 104 11-16 for Fours and Rs. 111 11-16 for Fours-and-a-half, business in fact having in some cases been done at ¾. The speculators still show great confidence, and now talk of Fours going to Rs. 106 ; and if such a figure were reached, would doubtless be equally confident about Rs. 110. There is such a thing, however, as buying gold too dear, and values of Government Paper are rapidly tending towards that level. With such a premium before them, Government have a strong temptation to bring out a new loan, and people should bear in mind further that there is always the possibility of the ultimate result of the Paris Conference being a serious fall in the value of all Silver securities.

SHARES, as a general rule, have not been particularly active. Bank of Bombays are unchanged at Rs. 772½. Colaba Land shares are Rs. 10 higher at Rs. 1,045. In Press Companies, Mofussils are Rs. 5 lower at Rs. 305, Sind and Punjaub Rs. 10 higher, Spinning and Weaving Companies are irregular. We quote an advance of Rs. 5 in National and Prince of Wales, Rs. 10 in Victoria, Rs. 75 in Albert, and Rs. 15 in Alliance, but Morarjee Goculdass and Dhurumsey are both Rs. 10 lower, and other companies unchanged. Bombay-Burmah Trading Company's shares are Rs. 10 higher at Rs. 2,360. Gold Mines have undergone some improvement on the strength of the sensational telegrams published in the newspapers this morning. Business has been done in the three local companies at an advance of As. 8 to Re. 1 per share ; and should we hear of other companies having started crushing, doubtless a further upward movement will take place, although it is difficult to understand the finding of gold in one part of the country should be accepted as incontrovertible evidence of its existence elsewhere.

COTTON although firm has been dull in the extreme. A few purchases of Good Dholleras have been made at as high as Rs. 187, but the setting in of the rains is rapidly putting a stop to business, and the season may be regarded as practically over.

SEEDS and WHEAT are unchanged.

FREIGETS are dull at previous rates, but there is next to nothing doing.

PIECE-GOODS have shown a trifle more activity to-day for future delivery, but ready goods shew no improvement owing to excessive supplies.

COALS are dull at previous prices, no new business being reported.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS

BANKS.

	Shares.	Am't.	Paid up.	Last Dividend	Cash Rates.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.					
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	500	5p.ct.	772½
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	8 do.	795
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	8 do.	640
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	100,000	10	all	3 do.	135
Chartd Bank L. & C...	40,000	20	all	6 do.	275
Chartd Mercantile ...	30,000	25	all	6 do.	280
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank	40,000	28½	all	10½ do.	525
National Bank of India	37,500	25	12½	5½ do.	107⅛
Oriental Bank	60,000	25	all	5 do.	295

PRESS COMPANIES

Akbar Cotto	150	5,000	2,850	50	1,050
Albert Ginni g Co ...	100	500	all	18p.ct.	
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	200	2,000	1,100	132p.s.	425 1,060
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	2,400	2,200	375	2,475
Beliary	625	1,000	1,000	20 p.s.	545
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.....	600	500	all	40	445
Broach Cotton Ginning and Press Co...	1,400	250	all	10	61
Colaba Press Co	500	1,880	1,880	50	890
Dhollera Press and Ginning Co.....	500	300	all	100	240
East India Press Co ...	700	1,000	1,000	50	1,075
Fort Press Co	150	8,500	8,500	300 p.s.	2,725
French Press Co	300	500	all	45 p.s.	450
Sind Press Co	400	2,000	750	50	450
Mofussil Co	3,125	400	400	15 p.s.	305
New Indian Press	1,000	350	350	11	1571
Prince of W. Press	120	.....	1,900	7	1,500
Sind & Puniaub Cotton Press Co	100	1,000	750	100	1,210
Sassoon Press Co	300	500	500	2	500
Volkart's Press Co....	450	1,000	all	54	510

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	600	1,000	500	90	1,150
Albert Mill.....	400	2,000	all	..	1,200
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	1,000	100	5	132
Alfred Manufacturing Company	2,000	1,700	500	22½ p.s.	620
Alliance Spinning	600	2,500	2,500	150 p.s.	2,765
Bhowruggur Mills	300	2,000	2,000	100	1,000
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	50	1,080
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	500	40 p. s.	835
Coorla Mills	800	1,000	1,000	50	990
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	nil	990
Empress S. & W. Co..	736	500	all	25 p. s.	670
Ditto (New issue)	400	500	150	..	370
Gokuldas Spg. & W. Co.	1,000	1,000	400	20	540
Hindustan	1,200	1,000	1,000	50 p. s.	1,150
Hydrabad Spinning Company	700	1,000	1,000	Rs. 70	1,045xd
Jaffer Ali Spinning Company	600	500	500	50	675
Jewraz Bhaloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	60 p. s.	1,180
Khandeish	750	1,000	1,000	30	1,035
Khatao Mackunjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	45 p. s.	1,045
Madras United	350	1,000	1,000	75 p.s.	1,875
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	50	1,635
Mazagon Spinning Co.	2,000	500	500	12 p. s.	255
Morarjee Goculdas	1,000	1,000	1,000	60	1,275
National Spinning	500	1,000	1,000	60	1,150
New Great Eastern ..	1,100	1,000	1,000	40 p. s.	1,215
Oriental	1,000	625	625	25	850
Prince of Wales Spinning Company..	1,500	500	500	..	475
Sassoon S. & W. Co..	1,500	1,000	1,000	65	1,125
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	50 p. s.	1,170
Sonderdas	750	1,000	1,000	50	1,060
Southern India	500	500	Rs. 30	..	670
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	50	1010
Western India S. & M. Company	1,200	1,000	200	15	670

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Saw Mills	100	1,000	1,000	100	650
Bombay Ice Manufac turing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	8 p.c	175 165
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation.	1,000	2,500	1,500	225	2,360
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association.....	5,000	100	10	10 p.ct.	10
Kurrachee Ice Co., Ld.	1,400	100	100	..	120
Kurrachee Landing and Shipping Co.	500	500	300	60	380
Mechanics' Building Co.	4,000	50	50	3 p.ct.	15
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company ..	5,000	200	50	3 p.ct.	50
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	10 p.ct.	20
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	250	1,000	1,000	100 p.s.	1,000
Ripon Gold Mining Co. Ld.	30,000 A	10	3½	..	4 @ 4½
Do.	1,000 B	100	100	..	110
Treacher & Company.	2,000	500	all	Rs. 90	820
Thacker & Company ..	1,000	100	100	12	160
Wynaad Gold Mining Co. Ld.....	20,000	25	15	..	20
Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Mining Co. Limited.	42,000	25	15	..	16

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Madura, 1,266 tons, Captain W. Starratt, arrived in harbour on the 7th instant from Coast and Calcutta with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. Wright, Mr. Young, Mr. Brown, and 12 deck.

THE barque Ben Van, 574 tons, Captain J. Hanson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Bangkok (7th April) with a cargo of timber. She spoke the barque Glencladh from Chittagong to Bombay. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Ritchie, Stewart and Co.

THE A. H. Lloyd Co.'s steamer Calipso, 1,130 tons, Captain B. Gelcach, which arrived in harbour on the 7th instant from Constantinople (12th May), brought two deck passengers and the following cargo :—From Constantinople.—1 box gold. From Hoodeida—8 boxes specie and 31 packages merchandise. From Aden—9 boxes speice.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Africa, 1,319 tons, Captain E. Dawker, sailed yesterday for Coast and Calcutta with a general cargo and the following passengers :—For Colombo—Mr. D. F. Wishart. For Calicut—Major Crawford. For Rutnagherry—Mr. Hormusjee and Mr. J. W. Young. For Carwar—Mr. D. Dalage, and 50 deck.

THE P. and O. Co.'s steamer Sumatra, 1,406 tons, Captain R. F. Briscoe, which arrived in harbour on the 7th instant from Venice, brought the English mails and the following cargo :—42 packages paints, 30 bales twist, 543 packages piece-goods, 117 packages beads, 40 packages flour, 4 boxes specie, 1 box gold coins, 2 packages ivory, 3 packages nuts, 48 packages drugs, 201 boxes silver, 1 box gold, 6 cases cochineal, 10 cases boots, 1 case saffron, 6 packages me'al-wire, 2 packages silk, 11 cases books, 2 boxes candles, 100 cases wine, 10 casks beer, 4 packages glass, 5 packages papers, 2 cases whiskey, 2 cases medicine, 8 packages glassware, and many packages merchandise.

ARRIVALS.

June	Vessel.	Commander	From.
7	Madura (s).....	Starratt	Calcutta, May 14.
	Africa (s).....	Haggelstein.	Zanzibar, April 22.
8	Clan Macleod	Barham	Liverpool, May 8.
	Ben Van	Hanson	Bangkok, April 7.
	Pearl (s)	Raffin	Bhownagar, June 7.

DEPARTURE.

June	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
8	Africa (s).....	Dawker	Coast and Calcutta.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—
Steamer Calipso, to Trieste.
Steamer Madura, to Coast and Calcutta.
Barque Dewa Gungadhur, to Calcutta.

CALCUTTA.

June. ARRIVALS.

3	Madras (s).....	Turner	Rangoon, May 28.
	Scindia (s)	Stone	Cochin, May 20.
	Satara (s).....	Morby	Camorta, May 21.
4	Malabar (s).....	Lanero	Genoa, April 28.
	Asia (s).....	Morris	Moulmein, May 28.
	Chindwara (s)	Sanders	Madras, May 31.

DEPARTURES.

June 4.—Steamers Oriental, Khandalla and Pekin.

ADEN.

ARRIVALS.

April. 7 Orenoque, schooner, Pino, from Zeilla.
May 20 Clandon, ss, Walton, from Cardiff.
21 Dagmar, I. G. ss, Cuthbert, from Muccala.
23 Swift, H. M. ss, Colins, from Calcutta.
24 Chioggia, It. G. Boat, ss, Preve, from Assab.
25 Rohilla, ss, Barratt, from London.
25 City of Manchester, ss, Miller, from Calcutta.
26 Thibet, ss, Jordan, from Bombay.
26 Monarch, ss, Thompson, from Cardiff.
26 Cora Maria, ss, Peacock, from Rangoon.
26 Arab, H. M. ss, Stopford, from Suez.
26 Lord Nelson, ss, Guest, from Calcutta.
26 Tebe, ss, Foretich, from Trieste.
26 Ferd Vender Saelen, Flaherty, from Bombay.
26 Paul, S. Tug, Hallowes, from Liverpool.
27 Barcelona, ss, Fano, from Manilla.
27 Florence, ss, Purdy, from Rangoon.
27 Titian, ss, Crisp, from London.
27 Yangtsze, ss, Pellegrin, from Marseilles.
28 Godavery, ss, Minier, from Mauritius.
28 Legislator, ss, Burley, from Calcutta.
28 Red Star, ss, Thompson, from Bombay.
28 Chyebassa, ss, Burke, from London.
28 Oxus, ss, Rapatel, from Shanghai.
29 Goa, ss, Hay, from Kurrachee.
29 Britannia, ss, Hutchinson, from Bombay.
29 Calypso, ss, Gelcich, from Constantinople.
29 Alleghany, ss, Ranton, from Ragoon.
30 Castore, ss, Mahorcich, from Bombay.
31 Merkara, ss, Ballantine, from Brisbane.
31 Secotra, ss, Mackerness, from Bombay.

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DAILY EXPORTS.—JUNE 8.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Parkfield—500 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co; 150 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers.
Cyprus—55 bales wool, F. R. Telang.
Wistow Hall (s)—50 bales cotton, Thos. H. Moore and Co ; 40 wool, Pragjee Toolseedass ; 83 bales wool, Goculdass Toolseedass ; 172 bales cotton, Chhmundass Madhowdass ; 200 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co; 350 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 43 bales cotton, Versee Dewsee ; 150 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Tharia Topun ; 230 bales cotton, Cooverjee Lilladhur ; 37 bales cotton, Nupoo Nensee ; 15 bales hides, Peerbhoy Damjee.

FOR HAVRE.

Austriana—100 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.
Bessie Morris (s)—200 cwts. horns, F. Sauquet and Co ; 800 cwts. wheat, Geo. Lockhart and Co.
Peer of the Realms(s)—250 cwts. wheat, Volkart Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Tebe (s)—300 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers ; 200 bales cotton, Geo. Lockhart and Co.
Calipso (s)—55 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co. ; 75 bale cotton, Gaddum and Co. ; 50 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co. ; 400 bales cotton, Knoop and Co. ; 200 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR HULL.

Bothal (s)—100 cwts. wheat, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Calipso (s)—300 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co ; 250 bales cotton, F. Sauquet and Co ; 250 bales cotton, Killick Nixon and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Olcese and Co ; 300 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels & Co.

FOR BREMERHAVEN.

Hospodar—200 bales cotton, Ruttonsee Mooljee.
Volkyrien—50 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR ODESSA.

Calipso (s)—600 bales cotton, Knoop and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Clandon (s)—800 cwts. wheat and 3,999 cwts. gingelly seed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR ANTWERP.

Inchmuree (s)—800 cwts. wheat, Lang Moir and Co.

FOR ALEXANDRIA.

Teheran (s)—2 packages carpets, Aga Zaneli Abedin.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

China (s)—11 cwts cussoomba, Hajee Abdool Esmail and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

China (s)—17½ cwts sharkfins and 6½ cwts fishmaws, Goolam Hoosein Jan Mahomed ; 19 cwts bysabole, Rehemoobhoy Habibhoy ; 250 cwts onions, Hasson Babon ; 75 cwts ooplate, 12 cwts cuddoo and 165 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 7 cwts sharkfins, 11 cwts fishmaws and 50 bales twist, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy ; 16 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co. ; 20 bales twist, Mahomed Oomer and Co ; 35 bales cotton, N. B. Mody and Co ; 150 baies cotton, M. S. Gubbay and Co ; 39 bales cotton, Gooljee Sungaree ; 7 bales cotton, A. Esmail ; 300 bales cotton, E. D. Sassoon and Co ; 72 cwts olibanum, You Lun Ching ; 57½ cwts bysabole and 8 cwts horns, Currimbhoy Ebram.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—JUNE 4.

Baker, Lieut., 25th Punjaub N. I., on leave, from Ferozpore.

JUNE 8.

Buckle, Captain, R. A., on duty, from Matheran.

DEPARTURES.—JUNE 7.

Parr, Surg. Major, on duty, to Aden.
Redcont, Liuet. Col., 21st Madras N. I., on leave, to England.

JUNE 8.

Cornford, Major, R. A., on leave, to Neilgherries.
Forjett, Captain, 26th Bombay N. I., to join, to Ahmedabad.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

BY LIEUT.-COL. COMMANDANT W. S. HEWETT.

Bombay, June 8, 1881.

Members who have not yet returned their arms and accoutrements are urgently requested to do so not later than 12 noon on Saturday, the 11th inst. Officers Commanding companies are requested to do their utmost to cause all members of their companies to comply with the above order.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Lieut. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ORDERS.

(*Gazette of India*, June 4.)

HOME, REVENUE, AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Major H. S. Jarrett, Secy. to the Board of Examiners, has obtained three months' privilege leave to England, with effect from the 5th July, or from the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Major A. C. Toker, B. S. C., is appointed to officiate as Secy. to the Board of Examiners during the absence on leave of Major Jarrett, or until further orders.

The services of Surg. N. J. Halpin are placed at the disposal of the Govt. of Bengal.

The services of Surg. F. A. Smyth are placed at the disposal of the Govt. of the N. W. P. and Oudh.

Major H. A. Hammond, Dist. Supdt. of Police, 4th (Offig. 2nd) Class, in the Central Prov., to officiate as Dist. Supdt. of Police, 1st Class, during the absence on furlough of Mr. J. J. Higgins, or until further orders.

Mr. J. C. Duff, Dist. Supdt., 3rd Class, to officiate as Dist. Supdt., 2nd Class, vice Major Hammond.

Mr. A. Marriott, Dist. Supdt., 4th Class, to officiate as Dist. Supdt., 3rd Class, vice Mr. Duff.

Mr. F. E. Coles, Dist. Supdt., 5th Class to officiate as Dist. Supdt., 4th Class, vice Mr. Marriott.

The services of Mr. C. P. Crouch, Dist. Supdt. of Police in Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Comsr. of Assam.

The services of Capt. G. W. Martin, Offg. Asst. Supdt. 2nd Grade, Survey of India, are placed at the disposal of the Dept. of Finance and Commerce.

Mr. V. Ball, Asst, 2nd Grade, in the Geological Survey of India, is appointed to officiate in the 1st Grade and as Dy. Supdt, vice Mr. W. King, with effect from the 10th May on which date the latter availed himself of the furlough granted to him.

The undermentioned officers are confirmed in their appointments, with effect from the dates specified opposite their names ;—

Mr. W. F. Hobson, Sub-Asst. Consvr. of Forests on probation in Bengal, from the 16th Dec. 1880.

Mr. E. L. Heining, Offig. Sub-Assist. Consvr. of Forests, in Bengal, from the 1st April.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

The following promotions are made in the C. I. Horse :—

1st Regt.—Duffadar Khet Sing to be Jamadar, vice Jemadar Nutha Singh, transferred to the 5th P. C., with effect from the 1st Dec. 1880.

2nd Regt.—Jemadar Garbha Singh to be Resaidar, with effect from the 1st May, vice Resaidar Mirza Hatim Beg, invalided. Kote-Duffadar Lhena Singh to be Jemadar, vice Jemadar Garbha Singh, promoted.

The following promotion is made in the 2nd Regt., C. I. H., with effect from the 1st May :—Kote-Duffadar Khushial Singh to be Jemadar, vice Jemadar Jal Singh, who has resigned the service.

Subject to the confirmation of H. M.'s Govt., H. E. the Viceroy and Govr. Genl. in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Sander Gutmann as Acting Consul for the Netherlands at Aden during the absence of Mr. E. O. Ooms.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Mr. A. P. MacDonnell, of the Bl. C. S., having been appointed to officiate as Acct. Genl, Bengal, received charge of the office before noon on the 21st May.

Mr. H. G. Keene, having been appointed to officiate as Asst. Compr, British Burma, assumed charge of the office before noon on the 23rd May.

The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Bl. S. C. with effect from the date specified, subject to the confirmation of the Rt. Hon. the Secy. of State for India :—

Lieut J. M. A. Retallick, 1st Batn, 25th Foot, Wing Officer, 45th (Rattray's Sikhs) Regtl. of N. I.—4th Nov. 1879.

The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieut-Col (Bt. Col). T. Wright, C.B., S.C., (p. a.) for two years.

Lieut. D. A. A. Macpherson, S.C., Mily. Acct. 3rd class (p. a.) for two years.

The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Rt. Hon. the Secy. of State for India :—

Major C. E. D. Branson, Genl. List, Inf. (m. c.) for six months.

Major C. O. W. Apperley, Genl. List, Inf. (m. c.) for five months.

Hony. Lieut. W. Willson, Adjt. Genl's Dept, (m. c.) for six months.

First Asst-Apothy. J. Shore, (m. c.) for six months.

17th (The Loyal Poorbeah) Regt. of N. I.—Havildar Sultan Khan, promoted to be Jemadar, vice Mahomed Gul Khan, invalided, from 1st May.

Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) P. S. Yorke, Inf., is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 20th April.

MILITARY (MARINE) DEPARTMENT.

Mr. T. Sutherland to be an Asst. Engr., 2nd class, in H. M.'s Indian Marine, with effect from the 23rd May.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned passed students of the Thomason Civil Engineering College, Roorkee, are appointed to the P. W. D. as Engineer Apprentices, and posted as noted below :—

N.-W. P. and Oudh.—Mr. W. P. Housden and Mr. J. Toozs.

Punjab.—Mr. F. E. Gwyther, Mr. R. E. Purves, and Babu Kali Krishna Mukhopadhyay.

British Burma.—Mr. H. G. Billings and Mr. H. W. James.

Assam.—Babu Brij Mohan Lal.

Mr. W. H. Parker, Supdg. Engr., Class II, is on return from furlough, posted to the Estabt. under the Govt. of Bengal in the Ry. Branch.

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NOTICE.

LETTERS, PARCELS, and TELEGRAMS for HIS EXCELLENCY the GOVERNOR and the PRIVATE SECRETARY, which cannot be delivered at Bella Vista, Mahableshwur, by 6-30 a.m. on the 11th instant, should be sent to GOVERNMENT HOUSE, GUNESH KHIND, until further notice.

G. H. R. HART,
Private Secy. to H. E. the Governor of Bombay.
Bella Vista, Mahableshwur, 6th June, 1881.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

[THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

BOMBAY.

DEATHS.

HYNES—June 7th, Lewis George Hynes, Esq., Assistant Mint Master, H. M.'s Mint, Bombay, aged 41 years.
MOORHOUSE—At Bulsar, of paralysis, Alexander S. Moorhouse, Assistant Auditor, B. B. and C. I. Railway, aged 41 years.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTHS.

BIGGS—June 8th, at Guntur, the wife of J. S. Biggs, Esq., of a son. (By telegram.)
BIGNELL—June 4th, at Bankipur, the wife of R. A. D'O. Bignell, Bengal Police, of a son.
SYMONS—June 2nd, at Saidpore, the wife of Kyrle E. Symons, Government Telegraphs, of a son.

DEATHS.

ANNETT—May 22nd, at Sanawur, Orissa, the infant son of James and Bessie Annett, aged 10 months.
BAYLEY—June 3rd, at Fatehpur, Mr. J. W. Bayley, of the Police Department, aged 52 years and 4 months.
PHAIRE—June 2nd, at Fyzabad, Lieutenant-Colonel W. Phaire, Bengal Staff Corps, Cantonment Magistrate.
RABBITT—June 3rd, at Mian Mir, Wilfred Matthew Joseph, son of Walter and Annie Rabbitt, aged 12 years.
THOMPSON—May 26th, at Ramnuggur, Nellie (Ellen) Sarah, wife of James Thompson, aged 28 years.
TYNDALL—May 31st, at Simla, Edward Boyse Tyndall, aged 19 months.

The Bombay Gazette

THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1881.

THE closeness with which the French have imitated in Africa the bad example we set them in Afghanistan, would be absurd if the tragic element in the comedy were not so grave as it is. The similarity in the things said and done on both sides extends to the minutest particulars ; and the situation at present—disguised as it is by the fact that the French are now in the boisterous enjoyment of their Treaty of Gandamak—is exactly the same as its prototype. Whether it will drift to the same end, depends of course on events which we cannot foresee. France may draw back as we have drawn back ; and with as much regret as ours is, that she was ever so misguided as to advance. If she does not draw back, we believe it is certain that she is now in a position from which it will cost her as much, in money and men, effectually to subdue the people of Tunis as it would have cost England to make a Punjaub of Afghanistan. There can of course be little doubt that—if the other great Powers stand as carefully aloof as they have done—France can subjugate the Arabs from whose nominal Chief she has wrested a treaty and material guarantees. But it would be a great mistake to suppose that she has already done so.

The present situation may be sketched very briefly. Up to the 12th May, the day when the statement was made in the French Chambers, and simultaneously the French troops entered Tunis, the veil which covered without concealing the intended aggression had not been dropped. "Under" certain specified "circumstances," the French Government, as they informed the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate in April, "had ordered action to be taken with all the vigour required by the situation." There was no question about the vigour at once shown, which was felt at the time only to go too far ahead of the situation as then depicted. That situation was—we are still quoting the first statement made to the French Parliament—briefly that the Kroumirs and Ouchtetas (why have these latter, we wonder, disappeared from the scene ?) had crossed the frontier, killing four of the French frontier force and wounding six others. The declared objects of the expedition then were to maintain the integrity of the French frontier, uphold the honour of the country, and chastise the "Tunisian bandits." Any intention of annexing Tunis was emphatically disclaimed, though the Government did let fall a hint that they would compel the Bey to respect French interests, and to put down "foreign intrigues," using as they did that unhappily familiar expression for the "interests" of other people. The statement was communicated to the various Embassies, for transmission to their respective courts : a separate and special assurance was given to Italy to the effect that France "only sought the protection of her own frontier" ; and France addressed herself to the task of "taking action with all the vigour required by the situation." So far the matter bore the closest possible resemblance to one of our frontier "punishment" expeditions, except that we should probably have considered a flying column of 1,000 men sufficient for the avowed purpose.

It is not within our present scope to trace the history of the expedition, which is, besides, sufficiently familiar to our readers. There was no falling off in the vigour shown, though some of its manifestations were not particularly creditable. We do not know whether the rumour is true that the captain of one of the French men-of-war has had to be dismissed for firing 600 shots from his vessel—at a fortress which had been previously abandoned. But if we substitute for an empty fortress a crowd of unoffending Arabs, with women and children in their midst, who made practically no resistance, we have a fair idea—if one account that has reached us be true—of one at least of the achievements which are apparently, after this long delay, to wipe out the reproach of Sedan. It is, however, more to our present purpose to point out that up to the moment when the column from the coast had reached within 17 miles of Tunis, the French Government never wavered in their original representation as to the cause and aim of the expedition. The Bey was invited to join the French in putting down these naughty Kroumirs : and on the morning of the day when the French Government put a pistol to his head, and gave him a couple of hours to consider whether he would become a vassal of France or not, it was still possible—nay, it was the only thing consistent with due respect for the honesty of French diplomacy—to suppose that the General Breard was on the point of turning to the right, to close the ring round the Kroumirs and not—as the event proved was his intention—to the left in a sudden and unprovoked assault on the Bey of Tunis.

We have spoken of the treaty extorted from the Bey as a French Treaty of Gandamak. It will be easy to justify the expression. The French have had as little difficulty in making a treaty with the nominal sovereign of all the Arab tribes who inhabit Tunis as we had in coming to an arrangement with the ruler of Afghanistan. The *modus operandi* in both cases has been much the same ; and the only differing circumstance of importance is that, from causes beyond the invaders' control, it has not in this case been found necessary to appoint a sovereign who should sign the treaty. The French caught their Shere Ali in his capital, and found him amenable to reason, backed by the presence of French troops in the gardens of his palace—as our Shere Ali would doubtless have been, if he had waited to be taken. But in Tunis, as in Afghanistan, no guarantees have been obtained that the enforced submission of the Bey carries with it the submission of his subjects. The case is indeed a little worse in Tunis than it was in Afghanistan. We encountered some opposition in our advance into the enemy's country. And when the Afghans, biding their time, rose and threatened to overwhelm General Roberts behind the walls of Sherpur, they did so in spite of the fact that Shere Ali's soldiers had been beaten by us at Ali Musjid and on the Peiwar Kotal. The Arabs have offered practically no resistance. Those of the plain, it is natural to suppose, have been for the moment stunned by the celerity with which the v

TELEGRAMS.

BAR SILVER AND EXCHANGE.

LATEST LONDON QUOTATIONS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JUNE 8, 5 P.M.

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts upon India this afternoon tenders at 1s. 7⅞d. received 27 per cent. ; all above that in full.

It is notified that the amount to be offered next week is 40 lakhs.

Bar silver closed at 51⅛d. per ounce; market weak. Four per cent. Rupee paper, 85½; Four-and-a-half ditto, 91¼.

MAHOMED HYAT KHAN.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)

SIMLA, JUNE 8.

The Government of India have decided that a formal and public inquiry into the charges brought against Mahomed Hyat Khan shall be held under Act 37 of 1850.

AFGHAN AFFAIRS.

It is reported from Kandahar that a force of Irregular Horse and Foot under Sirdars Hashim Khan, Mahomed Hassan, and Abdulla Khan arrived from Girishk on the 3rd instant. It was attacked by the Ameer's troops, and dispersed after four hours' fighting. The losses are not known. The report requires confirmation.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

SERIOUS ASPECT OF AFFAIRS IN IRELAND.

LONDON, JUNE 8.

Latest news from Ireland states that numerous arrests have been made under the Coercion Act.

A Land League meeting, which was to have been held at Mullingar, has been prohibited.

A serious riot has taken place at Skull, County Cork. The constabulary took many prisoners, who were afterwards rescued by the rioters. The roads and telegraphs in the neighbourhood have been destroyed by the mob. Troops are now advancing from Cork to quell the disturbance.

SPEECHES OUT OF PARLIAMENT.

The Right Hon'ble Joseph Chamberlain, President of the Board of Trade, made an elaborate speech at Birmingham yesterday, chiefly in vindication of the policy of the Government.

In a speech by the Earl of Carnarvon, at Burton on Trent, his Lordship said that the policy of the Government was a menace to every class of property.

THE IN-COMING MAIL.

ADEN, JUNE 8.

The P. and O. S. N. Co.'s s. s. Verona, with the outward English mails of the 27th ult., left here for Bombay at 9 o'clock last night.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

ADEN, JUNE 7.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Oakdel left here this morning.

The Hall Line steamer Rydal Hall, outward bound for Bombay, left Suez at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, the 7th June.

LONDON, JUNE 7.

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4 per cent. Rupee Paper	85⅛
4½ do. do.	91⅜

Arrivals.—Clan Macduff, Suraa, Lord Eslington, Timor, Perim Paxo, Hutton, Sam Weller, and Liddesdale.

STEAMER REPORT.

GALLE, June 8, 8 A.M.

Mail steamer Indus, from Aden, arrived.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1881.

At 6 a.m. ...	83·3 Farht.
,, 10 a.m. ...	81·3
,, 2 p.m. ...	87
,, 4 p.m. ...	83·7

TUESDAY NIGHT, JUNE 7, 1881.

At 10 p.m. ...	81·1

YESTERDAY was a rainy day in Bombay, but the wind is still in the wrong direction, and there is as little sign of the real monsoon as ever.

At the meeting of the Corporation yesterday afternoon counsel's opinion, obtained by the solicitors to the Corporation in regard to the election of Mr. J. C. D'Aguiar, was read. According to this opinion, which will be found in another column, Mr. D'Aguiar, who was present at the meeting, is entitled to a seat in the Corporation. Mr. Muncherjee Nowrojee Banajee moved that in section 6 of the Municipal Acts the word *three* be substituted for "two ;" and that the word *third* be substituted for the words "next following ;" that in section 8 the word *three* be substituted for "two ;" that in section 20 the word *third* be substituted for "alternate ;" that in section 21 the word *three* be substituted for "two," which alterations were originally recommended by the Town Council. The object of these amendments is to extend the period for which members of the Corporation and of the Town Council are elected from two to three years. After some little discussion the motion was carried by a considerable majority. A letter was read from the Secretary to Government, stating, with reference to the Rs. 15,000 deducted from the police grant as a contribution towards the cost of working the C. D. Act, that that sum was not deducted on the plea that it was required for further Lock Hospital accommodation, but simply as a suitable contribution towards the general expenses of working the Act. It was stated in this letter that His Excellency the Governor is of opinion that the measures taken have met with sufficient success to warrant their continuance, and to justify the expenditure which is being incurred on them. The Hon. Rao Saheb V. N. Mandlik moved that the letter be recorded, that the Corporation regretted the action of the Government in the matter, and protested against it. Mr. Nowrojee Furdoonjee seconded the motion, which was carried. It was also decided to send to the Secretary of State for India a memorial on the subject of the compulsory deduction of the sum of Rs. 15,000 from the annual State contribution towards the expenses of the city police and diversion of that sum towards the cost of the working of the Contagious Diseases Act.

MDME. Ujfalvy, it appears, intends to write a book giving her impressions on the subject of British rule in India and contrasting it with the Russian administration of Turkestan. Mons. and Mdme. Ujfalvy, it is stated, will not pass into Kashgaria, where the lawless state of some of the districts makes travelling difficult, but will direct their course from Simla through Kangra, Chumba, and Badrawar, to Kashmir. In the basin of the Upper Indus, M. Ujfalvy counts upon following his anthropological studies to his heart's content.

THE King of Siam has, says a Calcutta paper, sent an envoy to the Court of Mandalay. The envoy reached Moulmein at the end of May, and left that place on the 29th ultimo for Rangoon. He is commissioned to conclude a treaty with the Burmese Government, by which Siam will retain the territory occupied by the Siamese troops, and for which she is willing to pay to Burmah a compensation to the value of ten lakhs. It is generally thought that King Theebaw is so pressed for money that he will not be able to resist the chance of obtaining a good round sum.

A TELEGRAM from Bagdad, dated May 17th, to the Foreign Office, Simla, states :—Deaths from plague at Nejef show a slight decrease ; a few sporadic cases are reported from the neighbourhood of Jaara. Bagdad and Busreh continue clear."

THE amount received for Indian salt revenue for the month of April last was Rs. 57,58,000, as compared with Rs. 53,78,000 received in April 1880.

THE latest report upon the subject represents the prospects of the indigo crop as favourable.

LIEUTENANT G. H. WELLS, 60th Rifles, had a nasty fall while riding in the Simla gymkhana on Saturday, the 4th instant ; broke his collar-bone and a rib, and was much shaken. He is reported doing well.

THE weekly report of the Home, Revenue, and Agriculture Department on the state of the weather and prospects of the crops throughout India for the week ended the 31st May states :—" There has been heavy rain in Burma and Assam, and there has also been a good deal in Bengal, Madras, and in the southern and central districts of the Bombay Presidency. In the Central Provinces and the Central India States there were a few slight showers. The weather in the North-Western Provinces and Oudh was unsettled, storms and slight rain being reported from a good many districts. Agricultural prospects are so far good, as there are some indications of nearly approach of the monsoon. Fever and small-pox are reported in places, but on the whole the public health continues fair."

"WITH Sir Frederick Roberts in Afghanistan" is the hero-worship style of title Mr. Hensman has chosen for his book about the last Afghan Campaign. The book will be composed mainly of the letters Mr. Hensman wrote to the *Pioneer* during the war. The publishers are Messrs. Allen and Co. Mr. Hensman's narrative ought to be interesting. He had the field to himself, other special correspondents having been deterred from joining the force by the Government prohibition. Mr. Hensman went either before the prohibition was issued, or, in spite of it, and was allowed to remain, it being explained later on that General Roberts did not know a prohibitory order had been passed.

THE value of the total Foreign Trade of Calcutta, exclusive of treasure, during the past financial year, amounted to Rs. 54,98,25,980, as compared with Rs. 51,42,16,176 in the previous year, that of the Imports being Rs. 22,23,42,832 against Rs. 18,64,40,947, and that of the exports Rs. 32,74,83,148, against Rs. 29,67,70,336. The increase in imports was thus Rs. 3,59,01,885, while that in exports was only Rs. 3,07,12,812. The value of the treasure imported was Rs. 1,83,46,991 only, of which Rs. 22,01,018 was re-exported, as compared with Rs. 3,10,04,893, of which Rs. 32,76,911 was re-exported, in the previous year. For the large expansion in the imports, duty-free cotton goods are principally accountable. The increase in these over last year was 3 crores 44¼ lakhs, against a decrease in dutiable grey cotton goods of 1 crore 69 lakhs, the total imports of grey cotton goods of all sorts thus exceeding those of the previous year by about a crore and three-quarters. Among the exports there were large increases in raw cotton, indigo, wheat, lac, opium, and linseed, and large decreases in hides, jute, and saltpetre. In connexion with tea we notice that, while the quantity rose from 37,833,794 lbs. to 45,797,558 lbs., there was actually a diminution of more than two lakhs in the value.

IT is rumoured, says the *Madras Mail*, that the Hon'ble D. F. Carmichael has turned a deaf ear to the earnest invitation sent him by telegram from Ootacamund to return thither at once in order to play second fiddle to Mr. Hudleston, and that he has resolved not to come back from the north until he has quite completed his work up there and written his report on the whole Rumpa business.

THE *Pioneer* suggests that some member of Parliament, interested in the affairs of the English in Asia, should ask Lord Hartington specifically if it is true that Zeman Beg is at the present moment in Cabul ; and if this Zeman Beg is a well-known Russian Political Agent, often employed before, on delicate missions of diplomacy ; and finally whether it is not a fact that, by keeping an emissary of such standing in Cabul, the Russian Government is, to all intents and purposes, seeking to renew its relations with the ruler of Afghanistan. We have already given some account of Zeman Beg, enough to show that he is the trusted agent of the Russian Government ; and, from all we can learn, there seems to be little doubt but that he is in Cabul now, where the wily Armenian must be far more dangerous to British interests than any Russian officer. The manner in which Zeman Beg was sent to Kashgar in 1873 was peculiar. For some time previously, he had been at Constantinople, where he was not only in favour at the palace, but was also the trusted agent of General Ignatieff. It was about this time that Yacoob Beg, the Ameer of Kashgar, sent his kinsman, Yacoob Khan Tora, to Constantinople to get the Porte to declare Kashgar a protected State of Turkey, with Yacoob Beg, the Atalik Ghazi, as ruler, under the title of Amir. General Ignatieff knew that an English mission was about to be sent to Kashgar, and managed to smuggle Zeman Beg on board the steamer that took away the Amir's envoy from Constantinople. This was done secretly, but the knowledge was that Zeman Beg was taken to Kashgar in the suite of the returning envoy, and was able to keep a close watch on the movements of the Forsyth mission."

THE official return of killed and wounded among Her Majesty's forces in the late war with the Boers gives :—Officers, 29 killed and 20 wounded ; non-commissioned officers and men, 366 killed and 428 wounded. There is no return of those incapacitated by sickness, nor the loss among the camp followers and teamsters, but their number would probably not be large.

A "COLONEL" of Don Carlo's army is writing to persons in the Midland Counties, stating that he was entrusted some years back with a large amount of treasure (£120,000), and that he buried it in England. He is now in prison in Spain, and a trifle is required to liberate him. If anyone will send it, he will give the donor one-third of the treasure. But the remarkable fact respecting this mysterious deposit is, that it is situated in several parts of England, for already he has written to one person to say that the treasure is buried near Derby and to another that it is buried near Leicester.

ALTHOUGH Mr. Parnell may seem to be in somewhat reduced circumstances politically at the present time, he has yet believers and admirers in Birmingham. For there a medal has been struck in his honour, having on one side a very good portrait of the leader (or ex-leader) of the Irish Party, and on the other the Irish harp encircled by shamrocks, with an inscription in which Michael Davitt is described as the founder of the Land League.

A MARRIAGE is announced as having been arranged between Mr. Gordon Bennett, the millionaire and proprietor of the *New York Herald*, and well known for his hospitality and sporting tastes at Melton, and Mdlle. Buonaparte, daughter of Pierre Buonaparte, who has resided nearly all his life in retirement in the South of France.

A LONDON Society journal notes that the eccentricities of taste in those ladies whose object is to compel astonishment rather than admiration by startling toilettes will find some scope this year in parasols. "Disdaining such modest adornment as painted flowers, I see landscapes, and even dramatic incidents, represented on some of the newest. A family of long-legged storks were excitedly careering round a black satin parasol in the Park the other day, but the lady who carried it stood so provokingly that I could not descry the object of their chase. A fisherman, cautiously angling, was a device one would scarcely expect a lady to adopt, but there it was, nevertheless. Ducks in a pond are not especially appropriate, but seem likely to be popular. A beginning once made, he would be a bold man who would prophesy to what development this new fancy may lead.'

EARL DE LA WARR received on May 16th a telegram from Mustapha Ben Ismail, the Prime Minister of Tunis, of which the following is a translation :—" Certain persons interested in stirring up disorder in the Regency, not having been able to attain their object by their ordinary means, have spread the rumour and telegraphed to the European Press, with the view of moving public opinion, that the Bey has resolved to go to the town of Kinouan to stir up war against the Christians. I beg you to be good enough to deny in the most formal manner any such rumour. It has never entered the mind of His Highness, or of his statesmen, or of the heads of religion, to take any such step. Perfect tranquillity still reigns in Tunis. His Highness is employing all his efforts in this direction, persuading persons of less intelligence that it is their duty in present circumstances, both as citizens and religious men, to be calm and tranquil. His Highness the Bey, his Ministers, and the heads of religion regard the Europeans settled in the Regency as themselves, and respect them equally with their co-religionists."

THE *Pall Mall Gazette* says the death of Dr. Humphry Sandwith deprives many good causes of a brave soldier and his friends of a faithful comrade. The military heroism of Sandwith of Kars was in its day well known to all the world. The same courage and unsparing devotion were shown in a less imposing but not less sincere and worthy form when Servia and Bulgaria were covered with sick and wounded in the last war. Amid scenes of indescribable squalor, misery, and horror, and more than one struck down by malignant fever, he carried on the work of relief with unwearying perseverance. In the expression of his opinions on affairs at home, and in his endeavour to further and to realise them, Dr. Sandwith showed the same courage and fidelity. We have lost in him a brave and upright man, a good and loyal citizen, and a strenuous worker for human improvement in many directions.

THE SCHOONER AFRICA IN A CYCLONE.

THE schooner Africa, from Zanzibar, was last Tuesday towed into harbour by the Madura a perfect wreck. The Captain states that about four hundred miles from Bombay he encountered a terrible cyclone on the 29th May in lat. 16° north and long. 63° east. The ship was thrown on her beam-ends, which necessitated her fore and main-mast being cut away so as to right her. The sea swept over the vessel from forehead to stern, carrying away the mizen-mast head, boom and jiboom, and the star-board bulwarks ; the fore and aft star-board bow and quarter were likewise in ; the rudder was lost, and everything moveable about the deck was swept overboard. There was 5 ft. of water in the hold, but when part of the cargo had been thrown overboard and the weather moderated, the crew succeeded in pumping the vessel dry. Fortunately no lives were lost.

The Sestos, which left Bombay on the 26th May, returned yesterday evening at about 5 p.m., as she was obliged to put back owing to her having encountered a cyclone about 560 miles from Bombay.

VALUABLE DISCOVERY FOR THE HAIR.—If your hair is turning grey or white, or falling off, use "The Mexican Hair Renewer," for it *will positively restore in every case Grey or White hair* to its original colour, without leaving the disagreeable smell of most "Restorers." It makes the hair charmingly beautiful, as well as promoting the growth of the hair on bald spots, where the glands are not decayed. Ask your Chemist for "THE MEXICAN HAIR RENEWER," sold by Chemists and Perfumers everywhere at 3s. 6d per Bottle. Sold wholesale by the Anglo-American Drug Co., Limited, 33, Farringdon Road, London.

BOMBAY.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 7th :—Madura (s), from Calcutta ; Africa (s), Zanzibar. Yesterday :—Clan Macleod, Liverpool ; Ben Van, Bangkok ; Pearl (s), Bhownagar.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday :—Africa (s), to Coast and Calcutta.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s. s. Clan Macleod entered the dock yesterday.

THE MARMAGOA RAILWAY.—Orders from Lisbon have been received at Goa to engage six engineers, six conductors, and one thousand workmen to be employed on the construction of the new railway of Goa.

THE VEHAR LAKE.—The height of water in the Vehar Lake for the week ending Saturday, 4th June, was 45 feet and 9 tenths ; in the corresponding week of last year it was 46 feet and 3 tenths. The rainfall up to date was 13 cents.

WRECK OF A PATIMAR.—A patimar laden with bags of rice was wrecked on a rock when attempting to enter the port of Betul (Goa) for protection against the rough weather outside. The crew, some of whom were bruised on the rocks, were saved.

CARRYING EXCESS PASSENGERS.—Kondia Cooshna and Slowdeen Shaboodeen, tindals of native crafts, were yesterday fined respectively Rs. 10 and Rs. 5 by Mr. P. Ryan for taking a greater number of passengers than their vessels are licensed to carry.

MOVEMENT OF TROOPS.—The depot of the 28th Regiment N. I. is expected from Surat by the mixed-train soon after daylight to-morrow, and will embark immediately on arrival at the Sassoon Dock in the I. G. steamer Tenasserim for Sarwar. The strength of the depot is 2 native officers, 124 men, 153 women, 147 children, and 40 followers.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A Coroner's inquest was held yesterday at the J. J. Hospital, on view of the body of Rahim Lal, a boy about fourteen years of age, who died at the said hospital from the effects of the injuries sustained by the sudden fall of a two-storied house situated on the Byculla Flats, on the night of the 5th instant. The inquest was adjourned for further inquiry till to-morrow, the 10th instant.

BOMBAY TRAMWAY COMPANY, LIMITED.—Winning numbers for the month of May, 1881. Prizes of Rs. 10 each, which must be claimed within the current month :—

3 ans.	2 ans.	1½ an.	1 an.	¾ an.	½ an.
009301	021109	008616	085197	008096	041110
		012131	153393	009292	052601
			168827	028802	
			215002		
			257714		
			266800		

OLD OFFENDERS.—Waljee Ludha was yesterday convicted by Mr. P. Ryan of stealing seven pieces of Holland cloth, valued at Rs. 105, the property of Ismail Hajee Mahomed. Being an old offender he was sentenced to twelve months' rigorous imprisonment.—Kakoo Kurson was also yesterday convicted by the same Magistrate of stealing sundry silver and gold ornaments and cash, of the collective value of Rs. 65, belonging to a woman named Reva. He was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment.

DEATH OF THE ASSISTANT MASTER OF THE MINT.—We regret to record the death of Mr. L. G. Hynes, Assistant Master at the Mint, who died on Tuesday evening. The deceased gentleman was recommended by his medical adviser to go to England, and had engaged a passage by the mail-steamer which left Bombay on the evening that he died. The deceased, who was much respected, and who leaves a wife and three children was buried yesterday at Sewree. The funeral was attended by the chief officials and others connected with the mint.

BOMBAY NATIVE DISPENSARY AT KHETWADY.—The total number of patients treated in the Dispensary during the last month was 4,117. This gives a daily average attendance of 132·7. The number of the newly admitted during the month was 1,136. Of the entire number 962 were Parsees, 1,077 Hindoos 1,158 Mussalmans, 89 Christians, and 231 low castes. As to sexes 1,567 males, 1,107 females, and 1,443 children. The prevailing diseases were fevers (of various types), affections of stomach and bowels, and lung and air passages. There were 432 cases of various fevers, 223 of stomach and bowel affections, 135 of lung diseases, and 106 of skin. Of the whole number treated 1,062 were cured.

R. C. CHAPEL AT MAHABLESHWAR.—The Roman Catholic chapel at Mahableshwar requires enlargement and improvement, and recenly a meeting was held at which it was decided to raise a fund for that purpose. H. E. the Governor has headed a subscription list with Rs. 50, and already some Rs. 550 have been promised. Other Rs. 500 are required, and as the majority of the Roman Catholics who go to Mahableshwar are poor people, servants of the visitors during the season, an appeal is made to the charitable ladies and gentlemen of Bombay and Poona to come to their assistance. We are asked to state that "contributions will be thankfully received by the Rev. A. N. D'Almeida, R. C. Chaplain, Mahableshwar, and Mr. D. F. Leao, head clerk to the Private Secretary to H. E. the Governor, Poona."

A CURIOUS CASE.—A few days ago Mr. Livingstone, the Mechanical Engineer attached to the Irrigation Department, was summoned to appear before Mr. E. T. Richardson, the then acting Cantonment Magistrate, Poona, at the instance of Mr. Harrison, the Asst. Cantonment Magistrate, and the head of the Conservancy Department, to answer to a charge of violating one of the Cantonment rules, *id est*, for building a wooden structure—to wit, a photographic studio—without obtaining the necessary permission. Mr. Richardson ordered Mr. Livingstone to apply for the requisite permission, which was done, and General Brice sanctioned the application. During the hearing of the case on the first day, it was explained that no action could be brought against Mr. Livingstone, and that Mr. Paul Vuccino, the photographer, under whose instructions Mr. Livingstone was acting, and who subsequently took the whole responsibility on himself, was the proper party to be prosecuted in the case. It was, however, thought clear that Mr. Vuccino, having obtained the required sanction, the matter was at an end ; but it seems, from a correspondence which has taken place, that Mr. Harrison subsequently sent in another representation to General Brice, the result being that General Brice withdrew his sanction, and Mr. Harrison again prosecuted Mr. Livingstone on the same charge before Colonel Britten, the Cantonment Magistrate. Colonel Britten has ordered Mr. Livingstone to pull down the wooden structure. The case was adjourned for final disposal.

THE MONSOON.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

June.	Colaba. In. cts.	Fort. In. cts.	Esplanade. In. cts.	Byculla. In. cts.
Previously regtd.	0 91	1 60	1 11	1 51
7 Tuesday	0 0	0 0	0 0	0 0
8 Wednesday.....	0 0	0 15	0 16	0 31
Total....	0 91	1 75	1 27	1 82

NOTE.—The returns from the Fort, Esplanade, and Byculla are made up to 6 p.m. each day. The return from Colaba is up to midnight.

THE WEATHER ALONG THE COAST.

DAILY TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

(8th June 1881.)

THE following information regarding the state of the weather at different ports round the coast from Kurrachee to Madras is compiled from the latest returns received by telegram at the Meteorological Office :—

STATIONS.	Barometer. At 10 a.m. reduced to 32° F. and Sea-level.	Reading at 10 a.m.	Wind. Direction and force.	Wind. Mean velocity	Rain.
	Ins.	Dgs		Mls. p. hr.	Ins.
Kurrachee...	29·625	89·0	W S W	23	0·00
Surat.....	·696	85·5	W	14	0·00
Bombay.	·737	81·3	N N W	18	0·01
Ratnagiri	·768	79·8	W fresh	..	1·41
Karwar.....	·788	77·6	N W strong wind	..	0·40
Mangalore...	·817	79·4	calm	4	0·11
Calicut	·843	77·6	S W	8	0·12
Cochin	·852	81·0	S S W	8	0·00
Masulipatam.	·652	91·5	S W	..	0·00
Madras.....	·677	93·0	W S W	8	0·00
Negapatam..	·716	93·5	W	8	0·00

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 7TH JUNE 1881.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m. 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·665
Temperature of the Air	83·3
Wet Bulb Thermometer	76·8
Dew Point	77·3
Relative humidity of Air	74·7
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded—8.)	7·1
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)..	90·8
Minimum do. (read at 10 a.m.)	81·9
General Direction of Wind'	WNW. NW. NNW
Movement of wind in 24 hours'	NW, WNW. 417
Fall of Rain	0·00
Total fall during month	0·94
" year.....	0·94
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 8th June..	0·01

* From midnight to midnight.

A NEW TOWER OF SILENCE.

THE ceremony of inauguration of a new Tower of Silence at Pardee, on the B. B. and C. I. Railway line, was performed on Sunday last in the presence of about 1,500 Parsees. The tower has been well built at a cost of about Rs. 11,000, and contains 35 flags or receptacles for the dead, large and small. It is situated on a well selected spot standing on an eminence, about a mile from the railway station. The Saturday night train from Bombay took about 200 passengers to Pardee station, who for want of carriages were to detained during the night at the station, and went to the new tower early on Sunday morning to be present at the performance of the grand "jusson" or thanksgiving ceremony. Among those present were the two high priests of Godwarra, Messrs. Manockjee Cowasjee and Sorabjee Manockjee of Damaun, and others. The grand ceremony was commenced about 9 a. m. by Dustoor Khorshedjee, of Oodwarra, and was concluded in about an hour's time. An address on behalf of the managing committee, who superintended the building of the tower, was then read, in which details were given of the contract for the building of the tower and the "saggdi" connected with it, and in which thanks were tendered to Mr. Manockjee Cowasjee for the active assistance given by him in the undertaking. A list of the names of the subscribers, and of the amounts ascribed, was read, followed by a short address by the contractor who built the tower. Dustoor Pesootunjee Mirza of Oodwarra then addressed the assembled Zoroastrians on their religious obligations, speaking of the praiseworthy spirit in which the Parsees of Pardee had undertaken the building of the new tower, collected the necessary funds for it, and brought the work to a successful close. Presents of shawls were made to the Dustoors of Oodwarra, to the contractor, and others, and small sums of money were distributed to the Parsee priests in attendance at the ceremony. The tower was then thrown open to Parsees, who went in and paid their obeisances. In the course of the day, about Rs. 150 were thrown as offerings into the well of the tower.

Another interesting ceremony was also performed at Pardee on the 2nd instant—that of inaugurating the fire-temple and Dharmsalla built for the accommodation of Parsees at the expense of Mr. Hormusjee Gandabhoy of Pardee. The Parsees of Oodwarra, Bulsar, and other places had been invited to be present at the ceremony, and about 500 persons were present on the occasion. After the religious portion of the ceremonies had been gone through, an address of congratulation was presented to Mr. Hormusjee Gandabhoy on behalf of the Parsee community of Pardee. Shawls were presented to the high priests and others, and the assembled Parsees then partook of a feast provided for them in connection with the celebration.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

THE ELECTION OF MR. D'AGUIAR.

A SPECIAL general meeting of the Corporation was held yesterday afternoon.

Mr. D'Aguiar rose and was about to speak, when The Chairman said that the meeting was a special general meeting of the Corporation, and he would ask under rule 4 of the amended rules for the conduct of business the consent of the meeting to take the business numbered "10" on the list as the first business that afternoon. If it was the pleasure of the members of the Corporation he would ask the Clerk to read the memorandum from the Clerk to H. M.'s Justices, forwarding copy of a letter, dated 14th May, 1881, from the Clerk to the Justices to Mr. J. C. D'Aguiar, stating that Mr. D'Aguiar had been elected by the Justices a member of the Municipal Corporation. The letter having been read,

The Chairman said he had a few explanatory observations to make, and they would be very brief in regard to this matter. Shortly after Mr. D'Aguiar was elected a member of the Corporation by the Justices it was brought to his(the Chairman's) notice that as Mr. D'Aguiar's name was not on the list of persons qualified to serve on the Corporation, therefore, according to the opinion given by the Advocate-General in November last, his election by the Justices must be considered illegal. Upon that he (the Chairman) wrote to the solicitors to the Corporation asking them to advise him upon the matter, and to state whether or not it was the case that the election was illegal. Their reply was as follows :—

THOMAS BLANEY, ESQ., Chairman, Bombay Municipal Corporation.

SIR,—In acknowledging the receipt of your letter No. 3860 of this day's date, we have the honour to inform you that, as Mr. D'Aguiar's name is not entered in the list (published by the Municipal Corporation last year under section 9-D of the Municipal Act) of persons qualified to be elected or appointed members of the Corporation, there cannot in our opinion be any doubt whatever but that the election of that gentleman, purporting to have been made by the Bench of Justices last week, was altogether illegal. With regard to the express terms of section 9 of the Municipal Acts, the omission of Mr. D'Aguiar's name from the list in question is, we consider, absolutely fatal to the validity of his election. We may add that this view is strictly in accordance with the opinion of the Advocate-General, which we obtained and forwarded to the Commissioner on the 12th November last, and we have ourselves previously (on 16th June, 1879) advised the Commissioner to the same effect in connection with the attempted election of Mr. Jehangeer Cowasjee Jehangheer Readymoney.—We have, &c.,

CRAWFORD & BOEVEY.

Bombay, 10th May, 1881.

Mr. D'Aguiar then wrote a letter in which he took a different view of the case. His letter was submitted to the solicitors to the Corporation, and they said there was nothing in it to cause them to alter their opinion. A few days afterwards a letter appeared in the *Bombay Gazette* over the signature of Mr. D'Aguiar. That letter made reference to opinions given by some eminent gentleman of the bar, but there was nothing in what Mr. D'Aguiar said himself that caused any change in his (the Chairman's) opinion, but will be observed the nature of the advice offered by the legal gentlemen to Mr. D'Aguiar he thought there were some peculiar circumstances in the case which made it necessary to make further inquiry into the matter. With that object he sent Mr. Barrow to the solicitors to the Corporation expressly to make inquiry with regard to the statements contained in the letter. These statements seemed to have been duly considered, as on the 27th May he (the Chairman) received a letter from the solicitors to the Corporation, in which they suggested that counsel's opinion should be taken on the matter. He thought this suggestion of their solicitors was a good one, accordingly they obtained the opinion of the Advocate-General, who now always consults the solicitors to the Corporation in a case of that kind, as that officer was peculiarly fitted to give an opinion, for not only was he a leading member of the bar in this Presidency, but he took part in the proceedings of the Municipal Act in the Legislative Council, and had something to do with those provisions which provided for the election of gentlemen to the Corporation. The opinion asked for was given the last (Tuesday) night, and in justice to their solicitors he (the Chairman) must say that they advised him to intimate that opinion at once to Mr. D'Aguiar. It was, however, late at night when he received the communication, and as he was pretty sure that he would have the pleasure of meeting Mr. D'Aguiar at that meeting, he thought it no harm to defer making the communication until the meeting of the Corporation that afternoon. The questions put and the counsel's opinion given were as follows :—

1. Is Mr. D'Aguiar's election as a member of the Municipal Corporation under the circumstances above stated valid or invalid ?

2. If the election is invalid, has Mr. D'Aguiar any legal right to attend, speak, or vote at meetings of the Corporation, having regard to the fact that the validity of his election has not been brought in question before the Chief Presidency Magistrate within the period allowed for that purpose by section 9-C of the Municipal Acts. And

3. If the last query is answered in the negative, what course should the Chairman of the Corporation pursue ? Mr. D'Aguiar attends and insists upon exercising the rights of a member of the Corporation at any future meeting of that body.

OPINION.

1. Mr. D'Aguiar was proposed, seconded, and elected, and notice of his election was forwarded to him the next day by the Clerk to the Justices, so there was an election.

Mr. D'Aguiar is a Justice of the Peace, and consequently *prima facie* eligible to become a member of the Corporation, although his name was not entered in the last list published by the Municipal Commissioner under section 9-D, and consequently no vote ought to have been received for him at the election ; but this I think affects the validity of the election, and cannot, I think, be said to render the election proceedings null and void.

Section 9-C gives eight days for questioning the validity of an election by application to the Chief Presidency Magistrate. It is the intention of the Act that all elections not so questioned shall be considered valid.

As the time for objecting to Mr. D'Aguiar's election has now elapsed, I think his election must be considered valid.

In doing all that he had done, he (the Chairman) had at heart the best interests of the Corporation. The sum and substance of what the Advocate-General's opinion was that the Justices had erred in the election, but that it had been overcome by the lapse of time, and that Mr. D'Aguiar was therefore entitled to take his seat in that Corporation. He (the Chairman) had acted as he thought best in the interests of the Corporation, and without regard to any party. It afforded him great pleasure to welcome Mr. D'Aguiar to the Corporation, and although he (Mr. D'Aguiar) had had a little fight for the post, it was to be hoped that it would only stimulate him in the performance of the honourable duties which lay before him. (Applause.)

Mr. D'Aguiar made a few remarks, in the course of which he emphatically maintained that his election was a valid one.

The Hon. Rao Saheb trusted that the case would serve as a warning to the Corporation to go to a Magistrate on any future occasion when a similar question was involved.

We hold over the remainder of our report.

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POONA AND KIRKEE ICE COMPANY.

THE first ordinary general meeting of shareholders of the company was held yesterday at the registered office, 8, Church Lane, Mr. C. H. B. Forbes presiding. The notice convening the meeting being read, the following report of the directors, printed copies of which had been previously circulated, was taken as read :—

The board have now to inform the shareholders that the boiler furnished by the General Ice Factory Company, Limited, of London, has been found to be too small for the work required of it, and consequently the machine can only be worked under great difficulties. A new boiler has been ordered to be made in Bombay on account and risk of the London Company, and will probably be finished and erected in the course of two or three weeks. The board have also claimed damages against the London Company for the loss the company has sustained through the inefficiency of the boiler supplied. The machine appears a good one in all other respects, and the ice made is of excellent quality. The board have concluded arrangements with Messrs. Nusserwanjee Nowrojee and Co. for the amalgamation of the business of the two ice factories. The arrangements provide that Messrs. Nusserwanjee Nowrojee and Co., who have been the principal vendors of ice in Poona for many years past, shall be appointed sole agents for the sale of ice in Poona and the Deccan, the company confining its business merely to manufacturing ice and delivering the same over at wholesale rates to the agents, who, on their part, undertake not to charge more than half an anna a pound for ice sold in retail quantities in Poona. The board, having obtained the sanction of the General Ice Factory Company, Limited, of London, have also undertaken to purchase the opposition machine, after a careful trial and inspection of the same by Mr. Rae, the Chief Engineer of the London Company, a gentleman of very great experience in the ice trade. The machine, which is of two tons producing capacity, is reported to be fairly good one, and can be easily improved by applying some of the London Company's patents. The Company will thus have plant capable of turning out four tons of ice in every twenty-four hours, a quantity which it appears can be easily disposed of in the Deccan at present, as the demand for good cheap ice is everywhere rapidly increasing, whilst the capital of the Company need not be increased beyond the original estimate of Rs. 1,05,000, although the Company will be in a position to turn out four instead of three tons daily. The board anticipate a most profitable return on the capital invested so soon as these arrangements are fully carried out. The vendors have agreed to accept 80 fully paid-up shares in the Company as part payment, and the board now offer the remaining 200 shares in the Company for sale to enable the purchase to be completed. Allotments at par will be made to shareholders who apply for any of these shares, so far as it is possible to do so. Any balance of shares remaining unallotted to the present shareholders will, it is hoped, be taken up at a premium amongst the public, when looking to the value of the shares in the Bombay and the Kurrachee Ice Companies, the former of which are quoted at 50 per cent. and the latter at 25 per cent. premium. Shareholders desirous of increasing their holding in the Company should fill up the accompanying application form and return the same to the Secretaries and Agents, accompanied with a remittance in full, at their earliest convenience. Any shares that have not been taken up by the shareholders by the 15th of June next will after that date be disposed of in such manner and to such persons as the board shall think fit.

The following resolutions were agreed to unanimously :—

Proposed by the Chairman, and seconded by Mr Nusserwanjee Nowrojee Bode, that the report of the directors, ending 31st May, 1881, be adopted and confirmed.

Proposed by Mr. Munchersha Nusserwanjee Chandabhoy, and seconded by Mr. Bapoobhoy R. Telang, that the number of directors be four, inclusive of the *ex-officio* director and the nominee director of the General Ice Factory Company, and that the retiring directors, Mr. J. A. Cassels and Mr. Nusserwanjee Chandabhoy, be re-elected.

Proposed by Mr. J. A. Cassels, and seconded by Mr. Nusserwanjee Nowroj

entail on the ultimate destiny of the Tunisian territory."

"Do at Tunis what you think proper," his Lordship said; "England will offer no opposition, and will respect your decisions." Returning to the subject on another occasion Lord Salisbury made no hesitation in confiding to me that he looked upon it as morally impossible that the present régime could last in Tunis, and that in the view of the English Cabinet it was for France to preside over the regeneration of that country, consecrated by great memories.

I could not do otherwise than acknowledge the friendly feeling for our country which had prompted these words. I thanked Lord Salisbury for the broadness of view with which he had spontaneously regarded our mission with respect to a country placed by the force of circumstances within the sphere of our action.

"It is possible," I said, "that the future may impose upon us, as regards Tunis a more direct responsibility than now devolves on us. The natural course of things, I agree with you, doubtless destines that country some day to complete the *ensemble* of the possessions of France in Africa; moreover, we should not allow any foreign Power to establish itself there, and we should oppose by force any attempt of that kind. I therefore consider the statements that you have made to me as a valuable proof of the good understanding which should exist between our two peoples, and I shall be happy to transmit them to my Government. Although I am not aware of what may be their intentions on the subject, I do not think they would, under present circumstances, accept an annexation pure and simple ('pure et simple') such as you are disposed to contemplate at the present moment. Such an act would not be in harmony with our general policy; it would not, at the present moment, have sufficient justification in the difficulties and the annoyances, very real, as they are, which we often experience with our Tunisian neighbours. What would in reality meet the requirements of the case, as we understand it would be that our Protectorate in that country should be formally recognized; above all, what is of importance to us is that we should have entire liberty to extend our influence there and to develop our interests in the manner which may suit us best, without coming into contact with rival pretensions."

The above, M. le Marquis, is a résumé of the replies which I made, during several interviews, to Lord Salisbury's overtures. I beg you, on your part, to assure him of the favourable impression produced by them on the Franch Government. I received confirmation of the language of the Principal Secretary of State from the Earl of Beaconsfield at Berlin, and we cannot, consequently, have any doubt of the entire agreement of views with regard to this question between the various members of the Queen's Government. In communicating to the Minister for Foreign Affairs the satisfaction with which we take note of his declarations, you will furnish him, quite confidentially, with a copy of this despatch which is intended to place them on record.—Receive, &c.

WADDINGTON.

No. 2.

Sir R. Wood to the Marquis of Salisbury.

(Received July 30.)

TUNIS, July 23, 1878.

My Lord,—I have the honour to bring to your Lordship's knowledge the inclosed paragraph, which has appeared in the Franch paper *La Liberté* of the 16th July, and which was reproduced on the following day by the *Montagsblatt*, published at Berlin.

It is therein stated that it is no longer a matter of doubt that England offered the annexation of the Regency of Tunis to France, but that M. Waddington declined the offer, stating that he desired to return to France with clean hands.

As this article has been transmitted to Tunis with letters from Paris commenting upon the policy of Her Majesty's Government with reference to this country for communication to the Regent, I venture respectfully to ask whether your Lordship will be pleased to authorize me to give it a formal contradiction, in order to remove the impression which it is calculated to produce upon the mind of His Highness, as well as of the population.—I have, &c.,

RICHARD WOOD.

No. 3.

The Marquis of Salisbury to Sir R. Wood.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 7, 1878.

Sir,—I have received your despatch of the 23rd ultimo, inclosing a copy of a paragraph from the French paper *La Liberté* relative to an offer made by England for the annexation of the Regency of Tunis to France.

With reference of this statement, I have to inform you that no offer of the annexation of Tunis to France has ever been made by Her Majesty's Government to the French Government.—I am, &c.,

SALISBURY.

No. 4.

The Marquis of Salisbury to Lord Lyons.

FOREIGN OFFICE, August 7, 1878.

My Lord,—I have the honour to inclose to your Excellency a copy of a despatch from the Minister of Foreign Affairs in France, which was handed to me on Saturday by the French Ambassador. [No. 1.]

The subject to which it relates was referred to more than once in the very satisfactory conversations which I had with M. Waddington at Berlin. They were of a private character, and did not differ in their circumstances from those which daily took place between the various Plenipotentiaries. I did not, therefore, at the time make any note of them, or transmit any summary of them to your Excellency as it is usual to do after conversations of importance taking place at the Foreign Office. I am consequently unable to affirm that M. Waddington has reproduced the precise words made use of then either by himself or me. I am rather disposed to think that, merely desired to impart the form of quotation, he gave a communication about the general bearing of feelings, professions and especially the amicable inspired words France by which my language was the occasion. So far, and without being able to confirm exact phrases attributed to me, I have great pleasure in bearing witness to the general justice of his recollections.

Instead, however, of offering any verbal criticisms upon them, it will be simpler to state in a few sentences the views which Her Majesty's Government entertain upon this subject.

They have witnessed with lively satisfaction the success of the experiment conducted by France in Algeria, and the great work of civilization which is accomplishing in that country. They have never been unaware that the presence of France on those shores, supported as it is by an imposing military force, must have the effect of giving to her, when she thinks fit to exercise it, the power of pressing with decisive force upon the Government of the neighbouring Province of Tunis. This is a result which they have long recognized as inevitable and have accepted without reluctance. England has no special interests in this region which could possibly lead her to view with apprehension or distrust the legitimate and expanding influence of France.

On the future destinies of this province it is unnecessary to speculate. I think M. Waddington must have misconceived me in understanding that I foreboded an early fall to the existing Government of Tunis. My information would rather lead me to expect that, if it is disturbed by no external shock, it may last for a considerable time. With respect, therefore, to an event which may be distant, I will only say that it will not alter the attitude of England. She will continue to recognize, as she does now, the natural result of the neighbourhood of a powerful and civilizing country like France, and she has no counter-claims of her own to advance.

There is one consideration, however, to which I drew the attention of M. Waddington in conversation, and to which I ought not to omit all reference upon the present occasion. France is not the only country which lies in close proximity to Tunis. I have no means of knowing the exact views of the Italian Government upon this question, but I have grounds for believing that it is one to which their attention has been drawn. Her Majesty's Government must not be understood as having arrived at any opinion upon the position which Italy may take up in reference to the region under discussion; for as no communications have passed between the two Governments on this matter, any such opinion would have been formed in entire ignorance.—I am, &c.,

SALISBURY.

No. 5.

Earl Granville to Lord Lyons.

FOREIGN OFFICE, June 17, 1880.

My Lord,—The French Ambassador spoke to me on the 9th instant on the subject of Tunis.

His Excellency said that the interests of France in Africa did not permit her to be indifferent to whatever affected the condition of Tunis. The Government of that country was weak, and it would be unwise to ignore the possibility of its coming to an end. It was far from the desire of the French Government to accelerate such an event, and to profit by it to obtain an extension of territory. On the contrary, they were desirous of preventing any such contingency. But, at the same time, they found it necessary to exercise a certain amount of influence over the Tunisian Government themselves, and they were jealous of the establishment of any preponderating influence there by other Powers.

M. Leon Say went on to explain a question which had recently arisen between the French and Italian Governments.

The French Government, he said, had established a Tunisian line of telegraphs, the Tunisian Government not being able to find the necessary funds, and a Convention had been agreed to by which the Government took the enterprise upon themselves.

This Convention, therefore, gave to France a telegraphic monopoly in Tunis. Latterly the Italians have proposed to extend an Italian line into Tunis. The French pleaded their right of monopoly, offered to allow the Italian wires to be put in connection with the French bureaux, but objected to the establishment of the Italian bureaux in the country. There had arisen from this discussion a certain amount of unfortunate irritation, and in Eastern countries such questions not unfrequently became envenomed by the excitement of personal resentment between the local representatives.

His Excellency said that at Berlin Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury held very friendly language on the subject of Tunis. They had repudiated the notion of any jealousy on the part of England of the growing influence and civilizing effects of French administration in Africa; and they seemed rather to encourage than to deprecate the very sensible increase of French influence over Tunis, even if it were to be pushed to a degree greater than was intended or desired by France.

The French Government did not wish to press Her Majesty's Government on the subject, but they would be glad to know as early as convenient whether the present Government shared the views of their predecessors.

I saw M. Leon Say again on the 12th instant, and returned to the subject.

I stated to his Excellency that in the correspondence which is preserved in this Office respecting the communications which passed between Lord Salisbury, Lord Beaconsfield, and M. Waddington at Berlin on the subject of Tunis, I found that there was some discrepancy between what was originally mentioned in private conversation and what was afterwards recorded officially to your Excellency as the opinion of the late Government. I found also that Lord Salisbury in that despatch had distinctly reserved any opinion upon the position which Italy might take up in reference to Tunis.

I said that, in the view of Her Majesty's Government, Tunis was a portion of the Ottoman Empire, to dispose of which Great Britain had no moral or international right. But Her Majesty's Government had no jealousy of the influence which France, from her greater power and her high civilization, exercised, and is likely to exercise, over Tunis.

Her Majesty's Government, I said, were in the same position as their predecessors as regards the position which Italy may take up in reference to Tunis.—I am, &c.,

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J. DURIE PATTULLO,
Secretary.

NOTICES.

INDIAN ZOEDONE COMPANY, Limited.

MESSRS. C. H. B. FORBES and Co. beg to announce that they have been appointed Sole Agents in Bombay to the INDIAN ZOEDONE COMPANY, Limited, which has been recently started in England with a registered capital of £100,000. The first consignment has arrived, and orders will be executed on the following terms:—

Rs. 27 per case containing 6 dozen bottles.

RATES OF DISCOUNT.

Under 5 cases	..	for cash	2½ per cent
From 5 to 8 cases	5 per cent.	"	2½ "
" 8 to 12 "	7½ "	"	2½ "
" 12 to 20 "	10 "	"	2½ "
" 20 to 50 "	12½ "	"	2½ "
Above 50 "	15 "	"	5 "

All orders should be accompanied by remittances.

RETAIL ORDERS.

For quantities less than one case will be executed by Mr. W. J. ESSAI, Forbes Street, Fort.

ROWLANDS' MACASSAR OIL has been known for the last 80 years as the best and safest preserver and beautifier of the hair; it contains no lead or mineral ingredients, and is especially adapted for the hair of children; sold in usual four sizes.

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ROWLANDS' KALYDOR produces a beautifully pure and healthy complexion, eradicates freckles, tan, prickly heat, sunburn, &c., and is most cooling and refreshing to the face, hands, and arms, during hot weather. Ask any Perfumery Dealer for

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RED JAMAICA SARSAPARILLA

Is the ONLY PREPARATION RECOGNISED by the FACULTY as a WONDERFUL PURIFIER of the HUMAN BLOOD.

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"The only preparation for removing what may be called the Sequelæ of a mercurial course."—*Sir R. Martin.*
The late Lord Clyde, writing for a further supply of *Wilkinson's Sarsaparilla* says, "I am never without it, for when feeling depressed or out of sorts from anxiety or fatigue, a dose or two animates me."
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No. 42, MEADOW STREET, FORT, BOMBAY.

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VETERINARY SURGEONS.

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